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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

J. Patel et al.

Serial Number: 09/524,113

Filed: March 13, 2000

) NOVEL FORMULATIONS COMPRISING

) LIPID-REGULATING AGENTS

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) Group Art Unit: 1617

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) Examiner: M. Bahar

AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C., 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated November 20, 2002.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add new claim 19.

FI 19. (New) A composition consisting of a fibrate dissolved in at least one oil with one emulsifier selected from the group consisting of polyoxyethylene sorbitan fatty acid derivatives, sorbitan fatty acid derivatives, polyoxyl-35-castor oil, castor oil ethoxylates, hydrogenated castor oil ethoxylates, polyglycerol esters of fatty acids, fatty acid ethoxylates, alcohol ethoxylates, polyoxyethylene-polyoxypropylene co-polymers, polyoxyethylene-polyoxypropylene block co-

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